

The LECs operate an "essential facility", and should have to accommodate other ISP firms that wish to purchase access from them. This wholesale provisioning stimulates competition and benefits consumers. Chairman Powell: Please do not sell out to BIG BUSINESS, at the expense of competition and the small businesses of our country.

Keep the bells off the airways! I do not, repeat, do not want, my telephone company providing my only ISP support/service. This is definitely treading closely to the monopoly line or restraint of trade as I believe it will be referred to.